



A Special Message from

The Honourable David Speirs MP
The Honourable Jing Lee MLC



We wish to convey our warmest wishes to dear friends, community leaders and members who are celebrating Diwali, Deepavali, and Tihar.

Fondly known as the Festival of Lights, Diwali/Deepavali is celebrated by many diverse communities in South Asia and by the South Asian diaspora across the world, including here in Australia. It is one of the most auspicious festivals for many religions including Hinduism, Sikhism, Jainism, and Newar Buddhism.

This cherished vibrant and traditional Festival of Lights symbolises the spiritual victory of light over darkness, good over evil, and knowledge over ignorance.

On behalf of the Liberal Party of South Australia, we extend our best wishes to you as we celebrate this special occasion with you, and thank all the community organisations, community leaders, business leaders, and volunteers from our Indian, Nepalese, and South Asian communities for preserving and sharing your rich heritage and making outstanding contributions throughout all aspects of our society. Occasions and celebrations like this play an important role in developing our diverse and multicultural State.

Let's celebrate the Festival of Lights in the true sense by spreading joy and lighting up the world of others.

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